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## REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

		Attorney Docket No.	1075.1237	
		Application Number	10/705,455	
		Filing Date	November 12, 2003	
		First Named Inventor	Yusaku FUJII	
		Group Art Unit	2624	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Stephen R. Koziol	

### FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/02/08)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	22	- 27 =	0	X \$ 52.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 10 =	0	X \$ 220.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of March 11, 2009, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$130)); (2 months (\$490)); (3 months (\$1,110)); (4 months (\$1,730)); (5 months (\$2,350)).

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$540.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$140.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations = \$ 0.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

**TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 0.00**

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

### METHOD OF PAYMENT

- Check enclosed as payment.
- Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- No payment is enclosed.

### GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

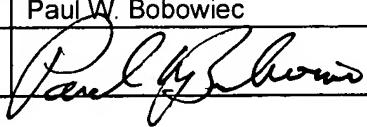
- If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No. 19-3935

Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP

- The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Paul W. Bobowiec	Reg. No.	47,431
Signature			
Date	March 11, 2009		



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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Yusaku FUJII

Serial No. 10/705,455

Group Art Unit: 2624

Confirmation No. 6699

Filed: November 12, 2003

Examiner: Stephen R. Kozol

For: ORGANISM CHARACTERISTIC DATA ACQUIRING APPARATUS, AUTHENTICATION APPARATUS, ORGANISM CHARACTERISTIC DATA ACQUIRING METHOD, ORGANISM CHARARCTERISTIC DATA ACQUIRING PROGRAM AND COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM ON WHICH THIS PROGRAM IS RECORDED

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 11, 2008, and having a period for response set to expire on March 11, 2009.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.